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Docket No. 11037US04 / 200-83.P1.C2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:

Arnold Horwitz
Stephen F. Carroll
David Burke

Serial No.: 10/629,516

Filed: July 29, 2003

For: BACTERICIDAL/
PERMABILITY-INCREASING
PROTEIN (BPI) DELETION
ANALOGS

Examiner: Rita Mitra

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PETITION FOR A ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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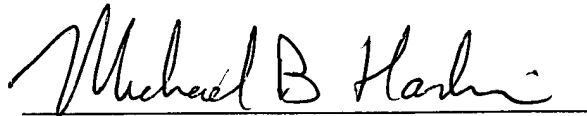
Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action dated November 17, 2005 in the above-referenced application. With this one-month extension, Applicants' response is due on Friday, March 17, 2006. Please be advised that the Applicants are filing an Amendment and Response to the Office Action and a Terminal Disclaimer with this Petition U.S. Express mail today.

An extension fee of \$60.00 (small entity) is required. The Commissioner is authorized to charge this fee to the McAndrews, Held & Malloy, Ltd. Deposit Account No. 13-0017.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 16, 2006

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Michael B. Harlin", written over a horizontal line.

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